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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT(S): Akira Ishibashi ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: 09792909-4823  
SERIAL NO.: 09/822,062 GROUP ART UNIT: 2871  
DATE FILED: March 30, 2001 EXAMINER: Richard H. Kim  
INVENTION: "PHOTON OPERATING DEVICE AND PHOTON OPERATING  
METHOD"

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

**AMENDMENT "C" ACCOMPANYING RCE**

This Amendment "C" is filed in response to the Final Office Action of July 31, 2003 and accompanies an RCE Request. Please reconsider the application in view of the amendments and remarks presented below.

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